



Pullitzer Winner

Boyle Columnist For 'Everyman'

Hal Boyle, a member of Sigma Phi Epsilon whose column was read by two generations of Americans over the last 30 years, died April 1 of a heart attack after turning out more than 7,680 columns for the Associated Press.

He was a Sig Ep, class of 1932, University of Missouri (Missouri Alpha) and had been the recipient of a Sigma Phi Epsilon Citation in Cleveland at the GCA in 1967, although unable to be there in person to accept it.

Hal was an interested Sig Ep within the time he had to be involved with the fraternity. He had been invited to be a speaker at both the 1947 and 1965 GCAs, but his schedule both times precluded him making the speech," a Sig Ep Headquarters official said. Boyle, a Pulitzer Prize winner, wrote simply and vividly about people—their laughter, fears, courage and tears. Generals, GIs, a man who made gold, Marilyn Monroe, a cab driver named Max, Santa Claus, Boyle's family, even a renegade cat named Ralph Beauty Marble Candy—all these and hundreds of other skippod, marched and purred through the more than 7,680 columns he wrote for the A.P.

Boyle, a Kansas City native, wrote more byline stories for the main wires of the A.P. than any other writer in its 126 years. He figured his output totaled more than four times Shakespeare's.

In his last column, Feb. 22, 1974, he told how he had contracted amyotrophic lateral sclerosis—known as Lou Gehrig's disease because it killed the renowned first baseman of the New York Yankees a generation ago. "Only two nice things can be said about it," Boyle wrote. "It doesn't affect the mind and it is more fatiguing and uncomfortable than painful."

Friends and colleagues have honored Boyle for his years of service to the A.P. by establishing a scholarship in his name at the University of Missouri school of journalism, Boyle's alma mater.

Wes Gallagher, A.P. president and general manager, said of Boyle

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Boyle



Sigma Phi Epsilon Takes on 'New Look'

Award-winning design consultant Bruce Blackburn (see the Bruce Blackburn story on page 6) has developed the contemporary heart design illustrated above as the keystone of Sigma Phi Epsilon's new visual identity.

Last February, Charles (Chuck) White, executive vice president of Sigma Phi Epsilon, recognizing the effective use of a single visual image by leading organizations and corporations, saw the need for such a symbol for Sigma Phi Epsilon and travelled to Blackburn's New York City office with some three dozen different letterheads, bulletin heads, brochures and graphic styles the fraternity had been using. He consulted with Brother Blackburn on the creation of a design element which would bring all of the fraternity's publications and communications together in a consistent and contemporary visual image for Sigma Phi Epsilon.

Brother Blackburn was receptive to the challenge, having faced similar ones, ranging from Mobil Oil Corp. to the American Revolution Bicentennial Commission.

In presenting his completed new symbol and graphic identity to the Sigma Phi Epsilon board of directors Blackburn said: "The problem as I saw it was to use Sig Ep tradition but to express it in a clean, clear, and contemporary way and then to use it in building a more visual image for the fraternity. The contemporary heart symbol is derived from the shape of the Sig Ep pin and incorporates the greek

letters Sigma Phi Epsilon. My experiences as an undergraduate and alumnus have shown me that the heart is our most durable and meaningful symbol and I felt it appropriate for our design element."

The lettering style used in the words Sigma Phi Epsilon is the same as appears at the top of this page (Sigma Phi Epsilon Journal).

Sigma Phi Epsilon is indebted to Brother Bruce Blackburn for his dedicated work on creating the new Sigma Phi Epsilon symbol. It is hoped that all brothers will find the new visual image a source of pride.

With consistent and repetitive use, the new heart symbol should become an extremely recognizable shorthand for all that the fraternity stands for and aspires to be in the future. It can do this unencumbered by eliminating any negative connotations that might be ascribed to the use of the crest with its ritualistic overtones or, for that matter, to the use of realistic portrayals of the pin with its skull and crossbones. These symbols are part of our tradition and, as such, should be used, but perhaps they are better when used by members of the fraternity inside the fraternity for ritualistic and formal occasions and not for communication with our public audiences.

It is fitting that the re-examination of our image as a fraternity should come, as it does, on the threshold of our 75th anniversary in 1976, for history tells us that institutions that are not self-critical and self-renewing do not survive. We sign this new "Sig Ep look" a good sign

Kentucky Alpha Initiates Pledges Of 40 Years Ago

by Jerry Legere and Dan Dorsett Kentucky Alpha Alumni

The official bonds of Brotherhood were extended to 13 initiates April 27 on the University of Kentucky campus. It was little different than the average initiation, though, because these men completed their pledges more than 40 years ago! The 13 were all members of local Sigma Beta Xi, the forerunner of Kentucky Alpha Chapter.

Our story goes back to October, 1922, when 10 men, bonded by friendship, molded their common ideals and aspirations into the formation of a new local fraternity at Kentucky. Over the next 11 years, 85 undergraduates passed through the chapter. All the while there was talk of affiliating with a national fraternity, and this climaxed in 1933 (on President Roosevelt's inauguration day) when Sigma Beta Xi became the 68th chapter of Sigma Phi Epsilon.

It is important to note that Kentucky Alpha was chartered in the heart of the Great Depression, and though all of the members of local Sigma Beta Xi were entitled to be initiated as Sig Eps, many of them were unable to afford the initiation fee and travel expenses. The net result was that the chapter had no record of those who had not been initiated, and from 1933 until this year, these men had heard nothing from the chapter.

In August, 1973, the Kentucky Alpha Alumni Board assumed the responsibility, in part, for alumni relations. An effort was begun to locate, communicate with, and involve the Sigma Beta Xi's in our Sig Ep activities. Since the program's first year was dedicated as "the year of Sigma Beta Xi," Glenn Webb, Chapter Alumni Relations Chairman, worked closely with Alumni Board members to successfully find addresses for 28 of the 43 men not initiated. In the five months that followed, the Board made three mailings, including two newsletters with a great deal of information on the founding local fraternities.

In February, 1974, with the

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Living Endowment Benefits All Sig Eps

The Living Endowment program was started 11 years ago as a means of initiating projects that simply could not be undertaken without alumni support. And you have responded. In the 1973-74 academic year, some 3,400 alumni contributed more than \$47,000. That represents more than 10% of the Fraternity's operating budget; obviously, such support had a considerable impact on Fraternity programs, with particular emphasis on the alumni program to communicate

with and contact our graduate brothers.

Consider, for instance, what's happened in the area of communications. All members now receive the JOURNAL, even though many members' 10-year JOURNAL subscriptions have expired. The revitalized "Alumni Heartbeat" newsletter is now sent twice-yearly to more than 2,000 members for an inside look at Headquarters and Fraternity activities. There are two publications for the enhancement of alumni programs

the Alumni Chapter & Association Guide blueprints how to start an alumni organization and keep it healthy, and the Alumni Relations Guide tells the Alumni Relations Chairman how to build an effective chapter program for alumni members. And audio-visual presentations are being prepared as aids to chapter instructional programs and to alumni organization activities. These presentations will be changed regularly to remain current and effective.

Kentucky Alpha Founder Calls Initiation 'One of Highlights of My Life'

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recommendation of a special committee, the Alumni Board approved a budget for a special Alumni Weekend, a weekend that would be highlighted by the initiation of the Sigma Beta Xi members who wanted to return to Lexington and pick up where their fraternity experience had left off 40 years ago. Committee chairman Jerry Legere and members Dan Dorsett, Jim McGary, and Tom Boyd were charged with organizing the never-to-be-forgotten initiation day.

The first step in setting up the Alumni Weekend was an announcement in the February alumni newsletter, the Sig Ep Sigs. A short time later, each of the eligible prospective initiates was mailed a personal letter explaining the opportunity. As March gave way to April, all seemed set for the weekend with five men committed to be initiated. And, to be truthful, we thought it pretty significant to have five men return after 40 years. One could only guess that fate wanted us to have an even larger turnout, because 72 hours later a snowballing effect had encompassed our endeavor and the list of alumni initiates had risen to 13!

With our program suddenly more than doubled in scope, panic subsided into organized fear as Saturday initiation day arrived. The first of the men arrived around 11 o'clock Saturday morning for the noon luncheon at the House. The "do-you-remember-when" and "I-still-haven't-forgotten-the-time" stories were flowing like water. There was no doubt that old college friendships had withstood the test of time.

At 1:30 p.m. Saturday the initiation ceremonies began a few blocks from the Sig Ep House. We used the facilities of the Chapel of the United Campus Ministry, and, at the last minute, arranged for the use of nearby Kentucky Zeta's gear so we could have two initiation teams. Four alumni and seven undergraduates unveiled the ritual to each initiate while chapter member Tom Boyd, '23, handled the individual presentation ceremony. Across town, Mrs. Tom Boyd hosted the wives of the 13 men on a tour of Ashland, the home of Henry Clay.

The afternoon continued with a cocktail party following the formal initiation. Under the direction of Alumni Treasurer Bob Jennings, and hosted by Alumni Past President Bill Rice and his wife Sue, the party proved to be yet another opportunity to swap stories and catch up on lost time. We counted the guests, and found them representing five states from Michigan to Florida. In this informal atmosphere, youth, wisdom, and experience were distinct trade-marks of those initiated, and it was easier for us to understand the strong foundation they had laid for Kentucky Alpha Chapter.

The next stop was the initiation banquet at a private dining room in a large hotel and the reminiscing continued. After dinner, Alumni Past President Bill Rice reviewed the past two years under his direction, while Dan Dorsett, newly elected alumni vice president, spoke of the planned activities for the year to come. Mike Webb, chapter president, expressed the chapter's outlook on the 1973-74 year. Alumni Relations Chairman Glen Webb then joined Mike in presenting a gift from the Chapter to each initiate—a founder's badge, a copy of the Sig Ep Journal, and a congratulatory letter from former Assistant Vice President Myron Messner. His letter, in part, read: "As a member of Sigma Beta Xi, your early contributions between 1922 and 1933



The Initiates. From left, Hank Stellberg, '28, Louisville; Ken Larmee, '31, Louisville; Harold Bennett, '29, Lexington; Dwight Bicknell, '24, Owensboro, Ky.; Benton Taylor, '25, Cincinnati; Al Porwood, '30, Versailles, Ky.; Bill Valade, '28, Grosse Pointe Woods, Michigan; Arnold Piggan, '30, Lexington; Clarence Valade, '28, Detroit; Carlye Schuermeyer, '32, Louisville and Raymond Valade, '28, Detroit, missing from picture.



Four of the 10 Kentucky Alpha founders. From left, Grant Fowler, '25, Benton Taylor, '25, Dwight Bicknell, '25, and Paul Bicknell, '24.

have made possible the fraternity experience for 675 Sigma Phi Epsilon since March 4, 1933. We take particular pride today in welcoming you to our Brotherhood."

After the presentation, Founder Dwight Bicknell spontaneously rose and remarked that April 27 would surely be "one of the highlights of his later life." Then Nellie Valade, philosopher and appointed spokesman for the initiates, stood up and in a concise, eloquent, and highly articulate manner spoke of what the day meant to him and the group. Amidst his words he will most be remembered for saying, "You have revived in each of us that which was mislaid... We are young again."

Givan Is Appointed District 17 Governor

The National Board of Directors has appointed Guy V. Givan Governor of District 17, encompassing the State of Missouri.

Brother Givan is a research engineer for Alcoa and lives in Bellevue, Illinois. He is an alumnus of Gamma of Missouri-Rolla (Missouri) University, 1939, where he was chapter president. Since that time Givan has served on the Missouri Gamma Alumni Board and was Chapter Counselor for Illinois Eta (Southern Illinois University) since its colonization in 1972. Givan has also been treasurer for the St. Louis Alumni Chapter.

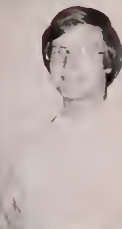
As District Governor Brother Givan is a manager of Missouri's eight undergraduate chapters and coordinates all other District activities. He communicates directly between each chapter counselor and the Headquarters staff.

'Uncle Tom's' Badges Now In Archives

Badges belonging to the late Thomas Valade McCaul, Sr., one of the founders of Sigma Phi Epsilon, have been presented to the Headquarters archives by the University of Florida chapter and the Florida Alpha Alumni.

The badges will be displayed at Headquarters for visitors to see, according to Gary E. Griffith, Director of Undergraduate Operations for the Fraternity. They were given to the Fraternity by Thomas V. McCaul, Jr.

Brother McCaul died in 1972 at Gainesville, Florida, where he had made his home.



Givan

Hal Boyle. . .

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"Hal Boyle, the poor man's philosopher, has occupied a unique position with the Associated Press staff and membership for more than a quarter of a century. No Associated Press man has been better known or better liked. Readers of his column have piled his desk high with mail, his loss is felt by all of us as a talented colleague but most of all we will miss his wit, constant good humor and many kindnesses."

Boyle won a Pulitzer Prize in 1945 as a World War II correspondent. It was there that he began his columns to tell about the triumphs and trials of the GIs he loved. He accompanied them later to Korea—and then to Vietnam. Like his friend, the late Ernie Pyle, who won the Pulitzer the year before, he tried to tell "the homefolks what their men at the front are doing."

Between wars and travels to 67 countries and every continent but the Antarctic, Boyle returned to his desk, piled high with letters. There he wrote about the meek and the mighty, the famous and the not-so-famous—and about himself whom his readers came to embrace as everyman.

His columns were featured in hundreds of newspapers, making him the most widely published columnist in America.

"The picture of Hal Boyle, the man, like his work, must fall short of summary and be content with the separate parts," wrote Saul Pelt, A.P. special correspondent in the preface to "Help, Help! Another Day," a book of Boyle columns published in 1969.

"There is Boyle, the extrovert, who invaded North Africa throwing candy from his Jeep and beseeching the natives, 'Vote for Boyle, Son of Toil, Honest Hal, the Arab's Pal'."

"There is Boyle, the thinker or 'poor man's philosopher,' who moved and moving poet, the clown, the brooder, the mystic, the sensitive, defenseless child, the hatless, hatless student of humanity, the father, the husband, the head, the warrior, the lobby with a secret dream of telling somebody off just once, the blithe spirit, the lover of maddening abstractions, the collector of odd statistics, the gentle wit who keeps the fool turned on himself, the loving Boswell of the GI, the faceless, the frustrated and the boy in every man . . .

"There's Boyle, the conversationalist, whose departures from a room or a country have been delayed eternally by anybody who wanted to talk. There's the physical Boyle, concerned about his weight, his broad broken nose, his thinning brown hair, the naive Boyle, who thinks he will weigh 170 again and re-emerge as The Tiger Man."

"There is the Boyle who continually remembers his mother's admonition to 'sit loosely in the saddle of life,' and he tries, and there is the Boyle who, after a night out with the boys, was asked what his wife said when he finally reached home, and he said, 'I don't know. She hasn't gotten to the verb yet.'"

"And always, well behind the rampus crowd, always in a quiet hidden room, there is the Boyle with the half-sung heart-song, the sweet sadness, the dreams that go away, the vague loneliness, the Boyle eternally aware that every man born of woman must die, that each new day is both an arrival and a departure, that even Peter Pan would have grown old in the service of a daily column."

The Wall Street Journal recently reported some statistics on the revival of fraternalism and sororities and quoted David Stewart, Penn State fraternity affairs advisor and Peter Everhart, University of Virginia lawyer, giving some of the reasons why the upswing is taking place.

"An infectious mononucleosis, which is three times more frequent among college students than among non-college students, is increasing across-the-board among teens and young adults, says the U.S. Public Health Service.

AT PENNSYLVANIA DELTA

Cook for 47 Years — Still 'In There'

by Odie Abramson

Alexander Marshall. The men is a marvel. He is more than just the legendary link between the earliest days of Penn Delta and the present. He is the heart of Penn Delta.

"It was 1926. Let me see. It was September 25, 1926 that I first came here," Mr. Marshall reminisces. Forty-eight years later, he still comes in to cook at 7:30 a.m. and leaves between 7:30-8 p.m. six days a week. And he's 82 years old - born on February 20, 1892 - vibrant and strong, secure in the esteem that the brotherhood holds for him, although it is doubtful that he would admit the fact.

An occupation over an extended period of time can often wear a man down, especially with the long hours that Mr. Marshall puts in. But he seems to shine with the years in effectively meeting Penn Delta's culinary needs and in advising on the sundry financial problems that a kitchen must face. He adroitly ladies' peel pois soup (pronounce it "pat tee wa" if you wish to make yourself understood), calculates how much a case of blueberry pie filling has increased in cost since the last shipment, or tells his associate, William "Jack" Shores, or whomever else is listening of his last incredulous experience or conversation.

Mr. Marshall performs any task with extraordinary speed, employing a steady, powerful arm and steady hand, well insulated by the asbestos of time. Any challengers in a "hold-the-hot-pan-the-longest-contest" can be guaranteed second place. He can create a superb soup out of last week's leftovers and serve a turkey with the dexterity of an old politician doling out the jobs.

Confinement to the environs of the kitchen for such a time period has not diminished his more cosmopolitan pursuits. Having returned from last year's trip to Honolulu, sponsored by his church, Mr. Marshall's sojourns have ranged to all but 11 of the 50 states - of which he'll name on request - and to Paris, Canada, and Nassau. The experiences from the trips, combined with the daily readings in the Holy Scriptures, provide him with a circumspection that could not be found by working solely in a kitchen for such a long time, but such a contemplative side of his character can not be discovered *prima facie*.

Mr. Marshall reveals himself almost entirely through conversations with the brothers in everyday meetings while they pick up lunch or stand in the kitchen as a waiter. Certain of his expressions mentioned during these exchanges have become common house phrases. Moreover, a certain Marshallian equilibrium condition of mutual recognition and sharing comes into play whenever one of his well known phrases is invoked.

A call to pick up a meal, for example, has been repeated by him at least 30,000 times during his career and has justly become one of the first associations made with him by the brotherhood. One can just imagine an old alumnus in some lofty position declaring this time-honored command to a rookie office boy with the same authority that Mr. Marshall had intoned maybe forty years ago when the big-poo-bahed alumnus was a tenderfoot.

"Yes sir, you can have anything you want," Mr. Marshall will direct his inquirer. Just pick up. The meal may not be the one that he most likes to prepare - it is surmised that lobster thermidor has not been prepared by him since 1916 -



Alexander Marshall
... "the men's a marvel"

1926 period when he worked in a nearby hotel before coming to Sig Ep - but the food is most likely to be well received as attested to by the brothers and an average of six outsiders who nightly come to sample Mr. Marshall's food.

Apart from his cooking, another highlight of having Mr. Marshall at cook has been his ability to remember Penn Delta people and events since his first came here. When asked if he knew any of the brothers of the early days, he proceeded to go directly to the pictures of some of the better known alumni and not only identify them, but tell stories about them that occurred in the '20's and have been rarely heard in the past 40 years! One might say that his knowledge of chapter history has added to the house almost as much as his presence.

The key to Mr. Marshall's importance as an historian - he'll never admit to such a status, of course - lies in his memory. Age simply has failed to dim his ability to recall almost any significant house event and any unusual kitchen event since his arrival. Alumni always make a special trip to the kitchen to visit him, and are not too surprised to have him remember their face and comment something like the following:

"Yes, Mr. Dohlgre, of course, I remember you, you always wanted rare meat. Yes sir, now how can I forget something like that." Or he'll note a prominent alumnus, now head of a large concern. "I remember him. I remember when he became married. He's come back to visit several times but not in the last 20 years. No. He hasn't been back in a long time. He's too rich to come back." Honest, but respectful; Mr. Marshall doesn't forget. He remembers good-naturedly, yet sometimes wistfully. Every controller can be remembered by name. And don't try wagging against his ability to recognize every face of a brother who has had meals served by him on a continuing basis.

This faculty of memory must have been very gratifying to him when the Penn Delta Chapter held its reunion last November. Over one hundred seventy alumni, brothers, and companions were seated quietly at the beginning of the banquet, but they spontaneously rose to a standing ovation lasting for several minutes in a poignant, but insufficient, salute of appreciation as he took his place at the head table. Calmly, almost passively, Mr. Marshall tilted his head just the tiniest bit and acknowledged the accolade.

What thoughts occurred to Mr. Marshall as he looked at the people who he had known and assisted for almost half of a century? Was he thinking of

seeing Professor Pete Kramer, U. of Penn., 1919, again, seated at his far right? Or was he directing his attention to Brothers Lloyd or Katalaneky who had complimented him on his beef broth with rice especially the Tuesday before? Most probably, Mr. Marshall looked at the faces in the brotherhood, picked out one that he had not seen for years and with a broad, implied smile reserved only for special occasions thought to himself, "It was nineteen... nineteen fifty two. Yes sir, that man had come into the kitchen and he told me."

Porthouse Appointed Foundation Trustee

Cyril R. Porthouse, Ohio State U., '32, has been elected a trustee of the Sigma Phi Epsilon Educational Foundation.

Brother Porthouse is chairman of the board, Fred Arbogast Co. of Akron, and last year retired as vice president of Questor Corporation and president of Questor Juvenile Products Co. He continues as a director and consultant of Questor, however.

He is president and trustee of the Porthouse Foundation of Akron and a director of Carbone Co., St. Louis, and First National Bank & Trust Co., Ravenna, Ohio.

The new Sig Ep Educational Foundation member received the Distinguished Alumnus Award from The Ohio State University in 1965 and in 1970 received the Centennial Achievement Award from the same school.

Brother Porthouse and his wife, Roberta, have four children, and reside at Sugar Bush Knolls, Kent, Ohio.



Cyril R. Porthouse

An extensive study of college athletics for the American Council on Education recommends a combination of spending cutbacks and subsidies and the eventual elimination of athletic scholarships. Study by Dr. Robert Atwell, president of Pitzer College, predicts that college athletics will not survive the next decade if they have to rely on present sources of revenue. Atwell examines several possible solutions, including putting financial aid on a need basis, eliminating financial aid on non-revenue producing sports, and support of college athletics by professional teams.



Dr. Duncan Wimpress Named by Nixon

Dr. Duncan Wimpress, president of Trinity University, San Antonio, Texas, who was initiated at the University of Oregon, has been appointed to the Board of Foreign Scholarships by President Nixon.

The board, comprised of 12 members, is responsible for supervising the international academic exchange program authorized under the Mutual Educational and Cultural Exchange Act of 1961, the Fulbright-Hays Act. One of the Board's key functions is the selection of the students, teachers, and scholars who participate in the Exchange program each year.

In discussing the appointment Dr. Wimpress said, "We will work largely through the Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs of the Department of State and will supervise the exchange programs with some 120 countries."

Dr. Wimpress is heading his third educational institution, having previously been president of Monticello College and Monmouth College, both in Illinois.

After earning his BA and MA degrees in Journalism and political science at the University of Oregon, he obtained his Ph.D. in general semantics at the University of Denver.

He has headed Trinity University since 1970.



John Stevenson, Oregon State University (Oregon Alpha) has become the 105,000th Sig Ep initiate. It has been announced by Headquarters.

Stevenson is a 20-year-old business administration major from Portland, the son of Dr. and Mrs. John L. Stevenson.

"I'm very proud of this honor and I'm especially proud of being a member of the strongest house on the Oregon State campus," John says.

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RESEARCH TOUR CONVINCES WEISE

Asia Key to International Peace, Stability

By Dr. R. Eric Weise
Past Grand President

August 1973 was memorable month for me. After 17 continuous years as a volunteer official of Sigma Phi Epsilon, beginning as chapter advisor to Dhio Theta in Cincinnati and ending as Grand President, I stepped down at the meeting of the Grand Chapter in Denver, Colorado.

The Denver Convention was an unusually exciting experience, reminding me of my first convocation which I attended as Chapter President in 1953 in Portland, Oregon. Each of these meetings renewed my commitment to Sigma Phi Epsilon. Following the Denver meeting, there was no time for any "retirement blues" since plans were well developed for my long delayed academic leave in Asia.

As a professor at the University of Cincinnati since 1964 I have specialized in U.S. foreign policy (and American politics) with a special interest in U.S.-Asian relations. While I had traveled in Europe and North Africa over a decade ago, the opportunity to conduct research and travel in Asia was an exciting opportunity.

Some years ago I wrote that the future of international peace and stability in the last third of this century would be decided by the course of events in Asia. The events of intervening years and the results of my research on this trip have strengthened my conviction on this subject.

My first stop was Tokyo, a city with twice the population of New York and a fraction of the crime rate. In another article recently I concluded that the energy crisis would temporarily delay the extraordinary economic growth rate of Japan, but that neither this crisis nor others yet to occur will long delay the determined and dynamic Japanese people.

In Japan, and in each country visited, I met with foreign ministry, business, industrial and academic leaders to learn more about their opinion on the future U.S. military and economic role in Asia.

When I left Japan some 11 days later, after dozens of meetings and almost 1,000 miles of travel, my conclusion was that Japan, already the dominant economic power in Asia, may well achieve what Herman Kahn predicted -- "super state" status by the year 2000.

Almost the entire trip was spent with citizens of the countries visited, so there was an excellent opportunity to learn a great deal first hand in a short period of time. There was some culture shock, traveling alone, often the only foreigner in sight for days at a time. However, the special courtesy of the Japanese, the beauty of their landscaping, the cleanliness and safety of their big city streets, the purposefulness of the Japanese worker, and perhaps the striking handsomeness of the people made the visit an unusually successful one.

Toward the end of my stay I made a special trip to visit the old imperial capitol established at Nara some 300 miles south of Tokyo. Built first in 650 B.C., this was the home of a highly sophisticated people for centuries before western development. Later I visited the home of the Tokugawa Shoguns who ruled Japan in the name of the Emperor for almost three centuries until Admiral Perry's visit in the mid-nineteenth century. The culture, art, music, and literature of this ancient but continuous civilization was certainly one

of the most fascinating parts of my visit. I returned to Tokyo on my "bullet train" which traveled effortlessly at a speed of more than 200 kilometers per hour. There is indeed, a great deal we can learn from this very mature society.

There were no "Yankee Go Home" signs to be seen anywhere in Asia. In every country there was consuming belief expressed that a continued American military presence was essential if there was to be peace and some degree of stability in Asia. There was a clear fear of Russia, and belief that if the U.S. withdrew the Soviet Union would intervene in their area of the



Dr. Weise at Kamakura, Japan in front of giant bronze Buddha cast in 15th century.

world. Further, most expressed a concern about U.S. economic involvement in Asia. They wanted it to continue at a high level for their own economic interests and to offset the growing domination of the Japanese economic machine.

During this period Premier Chou En Lai issued a major foreign policy statement which noted the importance of a continued U.S. military involvement in Asia and called it a stabilizing force for peace. What a change a year makes! The People's Republic of China describing the United States as peacemakers, Asians in general see only one threat to the peace and that is Russia.

If the Chinese leaders (son of Ching Kai Shek and other second-generation leaders) who now guide the destiny of



Japanese school children who are on a tour. Such tours are very popular in Japan.

Taiwan, were in charge on the mainland today, China would become an economic giant in our lifetime. Efficiency, productivity, self-reliance and successful modernization are the best words to describe what has been done in this province (Republic of China) of China with an amazing amount of freedom today. There are still restrictions and political liberties are more limited than in the United States, but on this island China moves every year toward more freedom. In much of the rest of Asia, including mainland China, the governments remain rigidly dictatorial.

Vietnam was a study in contrasts, inherent beauty and the ugliness after a war, modern and premodern methods and facilities working simultaneously, a very young and very old population, few middle-aged people - the lost generation in this war.

The cost of no fixed battlefield plagues the South Vietnamese today just as it did the Americans for a decade as they continue their struggle to remain independent. On a trip into the beautiful, green Mekong Delta the only signs of war were the barbed wire-surrounded machine gun nests located at every bridge. The rice fields, indescribably beautiful in an endless pattern to the horizon, conceal the brackish water hiding places of the guerrillas. That day peace and beauty was the order of the day.

When I landed in Bangkok the economic minister of China met me at the airport and was an extraordinary host during my visit there. We became good friends because Brother Walter (Babe) Fiy, in a conversation while we were in Denver, learned about my trip and said that he would write to his good friend in Bangkok. Thailand had had a moderately bloody student revolution which forced the dictatorial leaders to exile just before my arrival. The burned-out buildings which were not well-publicized were numerous in the center of the government area. The number of students killed will probably never be known, but they accomplished their goal of restoring democratic government in Thailand.

The King of Thailand is the grandson of the King depicted in Anna and the King of Siam, he, however, is the head of State and not the head of government. While the King, who is respected and loved by his people, is supposed to be above politics there is considerable reason to believe that he played a major role behind the scenes in getting rid of the dictators. Now, the Thai's work on a new constitution, hope to have a political party system and elections for a democratic government by this spring. I am not hopeful that they will be able to make it work however, and would not be surprised to see the military back in power before another year is out.



Three phases of architecture in Thailand, representing different periods in the country's long history.

A few weeks later the American helicopter pilot searching for MIA's with permission of the North Vietnamese, was assassinated just a few miles from where I stood that day. The war goes on. The president, Nguyen Van Thieu, is quite popular, considered to be personally honest and provides the best leadership. South Vietnam has had in decades. It is his goal to see that the war stops.

There is considerable confidence that Thieu can get the job done. Most of his critics in the United States said he wouldn't last six months after the U.S. forces were removed. They were wrong; in fact, most never understood what the war was about anyway. Every month that passes the South Vietnamese become stronger and their hopes to remain free from domination by North Vietnam improve.

From Bangkok I flew to Beirut via New Delhi and Tehran just after the Middle East war. Beirut was a beautiful modern city where French was heard as often as Arabic. My visit at American University was especially stimulating since most of the students were from a wide variety of Middle Eastern countries, and spoke English as required in this university. It was little different than being on any American campus except that the point of view on the problems in the Middle East was the reverse of that heard in the U.S. It was an unusual educational experience for me.

My last stop before returning home was in Paris where no business or research was planned. With the gracious assistance of Brother Bill Tragon none was conducted. Bill, his lovely wife Lilly, and a business partner from England (See Page 20)

Memoriam

CALIFORNIA

Robert V. Conrad, California, '23, died May 5, 1974, at San Francisco, Calif.

Norman B. Hodgkinson, California, '21, died at Pomona, Calif.

Deborah Lane, California, graduate of Hastings Law School, assistant borough attorney for Anchorage, Alaska, died during December, 1973, on the island of Kauai, Hawaii, while backpacking.

Gray Steyer, Southern California, '26, publisher of *Jayward Rosenberger*, Southern California, '32, executive vice-president of Adolph Milk Farms of Los Angeles until his recent retirement, died January 1, 1974, at Los Angeles, Calif.

COLORADO

Hugh Gunnison, IV, Northern Colorado, '50, graduate of the University of Colorado Law School, professor, Montezuma, Colo., attorney and judge, died on December 22, 1973, when the car he was driving on Colorado 143 two miles north of South Fork crashed into a power pole.

Leo M. Masker, Colorado, '13, a charter member of the Los Angeles Alumni Chapter, died January 27, 1974, at Los Angeles.

Ashley J. Hamman, Denver, '11, died December 1, 1973, at Fort Collins.

Francis B. Blume, Colorado Mines, '30, died during April 1974 at Fresno, Calif.

Rudolf Gustavson, Denver, chancellor of the University of Nebraska from 1947 to 1953, former president of the University of Colorado, and former dean of faculties at the University of Chicago, died December 23, 1974, at Belleville, Ohio.

Clyford A. Miller, Denver, '11, died October 21, 1973, at Casper, Wyo.

FLORIDA

Robert E. Carson, Florida, '28 member of the Order of Sigma Phi since 1946, died November 14, 1971, from injuries received in a traffic collision.

Robert M. Kernshaw, Florida, '73, died February 25, 1974, at Clearwater.

ILLINOIS

Dr. Harry J. Paul, Illinois, '27, longtime general surgeon, died August 14, 1973, at Evanston, Ill., veteran of the Army Medical Corps during World War II with the rank of major, died April 1, 1974, at Evanston, Ill., at age 85.

Carl F. Schmidt, Illinois '35, died July 12, 1973, at Scottsdale, N.J.

INDIANA

Paul Michael Miller, Purdue, '75, athletic director of his chapter, died during January 1974 at Lafayette, Ind.

Raymond F. Larson, Purdue, '22, died January 15, 1974, at LaPorte, Ind.

John W. Montgomery, Purdue, '32, died November 10, 1973, at El Paso, Tex.

Raymond Roy Wilbur, Purdue, '19, an engineer for the Mobil Oil Co. for 37 years, died April 13, 1974, at Memphis, Fla., where he was living in retirement.

Norman W. Nestler, Purdue, '31, died December 2, 1973, at Urbansville, Ind.

IOWA

Kenneth O. Anderson, Iowa Wesleyan, '26, long-time junior high school teacher and principal at Tuxedo, Iowa, and former Grand Master of Masons in Arizona, died December 27, 1973, at Tucson, at age 69.

James R. Rider, Iowa '51, died January 3, 1974, at San Diego, Calif.

Harold O. Parks, Iowa, '23, died September 2, 1973, at St. Louis, Mo.

The Rev. Dr. Newton E. Mosh, Iowa Wesleyan, '18, pastor of Grace United Methodist Church, One Missouri, Iowa, from 1949 until 1963 and associate pastor of the First United Methodist Church of Edmond, Wash. at the time of his death, died November 14, 1973, at Fairport, Calif., at age 75. He received a bachelor of divinity degree from Northwestern University and a doctorate in law from Northwestern University.

Vigil A. Chermisnow, Iowa State, '28, head of the school bacteriology department at the University of Idaho until his retirement, died December 29, 1973, at Moscow, Idaho.

KANSAS

George O. Vandell, Kansas State '29, an auditor for the state of Kansas for 27 years and former city clerk in Colorado, Kan., died September 18, 1973, at Topeka, Kan., of a heart attack.

H. J. Cousins, Iowa State '23, died during September, 1973, in automobile accident.

KENTUCKY

William Lee Hoeman, Kentucky, '50, died December 20, 1973, in the Veterans Administration Hospital, Lexington, Ky., after a lengthy illness.

LOUISIANA

Juan C. Alcazar, Tulane, '22, professor emeritus of French literature at the University of Georgia, died April 5, 1974, at New Orleans, La., at age 72. The author of more than 50 articles and notes on Stendhal, he received his M.A. from the University of Illinois and his Ph.D. from the University of Chicago.

MAINE

Paul F. Broden, Maine, '59, died August 1, 1973, at Paterson, N.J.

MARYLAND

Robert H. Winesdale, Johns Hopkins, '28, head of the department of history at the University of South Carolina from 1949 to 1953, dean of the college of arts and science from 1953 until 1960, and dean of the college of arts and science from 1960 to 1966, died March 26, 1963, at Columbia, S.C., at the age of 67.

William L. Crandall, Johns Hopkins, '36, died June 2, 1973, at Hollywood, Fla.

Bruce W. Kamins, '74, a veteran of U.S. Army Intelligence in Vietnam and Germany, died December 6, 1973, details not reported.

MICHIGAN

Joseph V. Hodgson, Michigan, '21, died October 14, 1973, in Honolulu, Hawaii.

Charles Philip English, Michigan, '18, onetime president of his chapter, died March 10, 1974.

MINNESOTA

Ben Morris Ridpath, Minnesota, pastor of the Trinity United Methodist Church, Kansas City, Mo., from 1917 until his death, died January 19, 1974, at Kansas City, at the age of 70. Recipient of the doctor of divinity degree from Central College (Mo.), he served churches in Webster Groves, Mo., St. Louis, and Joplin, Mo. Widely known in state and national church circles, he was a delegate to the worldwide Ecumenical Conference on Methodism in 1947 and visited Europe several times, preaching in pulpits in Paris and Britain. He was director of the Kansas City Synod Department Office of Citizen Campaigns.

Oliver G. Waterau, Washington U. (Mo.), '29, died December 21, 1973, at St. Louis, Mo.

Hartan C. Wicks, Missouri, '22, died August 10, 1973, at Denver, Colo.

Thomas E. Oeschke, Missouri, '25, died during April 1974 at Joplin, Mo.

Robert S. Huffstodt, Washington U. (Mo.), '40, died June 25, 1973, at St. Louis, Mo.

Richard T. Wright, Missouri, '20, professor emeritus of the agriculture department at Northwest Missouri State University, died December 6, 1973, at the recipient of his master's degree from the University of Missouri, he was a founder of the National Association of Colleges and Teachers of Agriculture.

Floyd E. Fawell, Missouri, '15, postmaster at Leeton, Mo., for 15 years until his retirement, died July 21, 1972, at Clinton, Mo., of a heart attack.

Gayle C. Gaines, Missouri, '27, retired instructor of college engineering and math, died January 18, 1974, at LaJolla, Calif.

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Milton H. Just, Garrettsville, '30, died January 16, 1974, at Richmond Heights, Mo.

NEW MEXICO

Lawrence C. Hanlon, Jr., New Mexico, '35, owner of the Hanlon Brewery at Albuquerque, N.M., died March 28, 1973, at Albuquerque, N.M., at the age of 61.

NEW YORK

Premice B. Marwin, Syracuse, '10, mechanical and civil engineer until his retirement in 1970 at the age of 65, died August 24, 1973, at Scarborough, N.Y., at the age of 85. His achievements in the United States and abroad included engineering designs for foundations for the Queensboro Express, a dry dock at Pearl Harbor, lock gates for the Panama Canal and for the present harbor of Seoul, Korea.

Harold K. Sircus, Syracuse, '24, died July 22, 1973, at Atlanta, Fla.

NORTH CAROLINA

Harold W. Owen, North Carolina State, '18, died October 12, 1973.

William H. Imbody, Ohio Northern, '18, president of Outdoor Living, Inc., Charlotte, N.C., and a founder of Camp Dogwood for the Blind died April 11, 1974, at the age of 76.

Donald J. MacLaren, Ohio Northern, '33, died January 19, 1973, at Memphis, Tenn. For many years he was an engineer for the Carburetorum Co. at Niagara Falls, N.Y., and after retirement served for one year as city manager of the city of Hickman, Ky.

James B. Kurtz, Cleveland, Ohio Chapter, died March 3, 1974, at Chapin Falls, Ohio, of double bronchial pneumonia. He is survived by wife, Elizabeth by his brother, former Grand President, Harry O. Kurtz, Ohio State '37.

Charles R. Kappel, Ohio Northern, '17, president of Catewa College from 1942 until 1963 and onetime executive secretary of the board of religious education of the Evangelical Church of North America died January 14, 1974, at Salisbury, N.C., at the age of 77. Following graduate studies at Ohio State he served as director of teacher training at Marietta College from 1927 to 1929 and thereafter served in many capacities in church mission and educational activities. He was president of the Council of Church Boards of Education in 1940-41 and was a member of the North American Administrative Committee of the World's Sunday School Association. He was the author of *The Christ of the Church School* and many other books and pamphlets.

Ohio

Francis J. Merzky, Ohio State, '26, retired General Motors staff engineer, died January 22, 1974, at Lewisburg, Ohio, at the age of 67.

OREGON

Chas. F. Konechot, Oregon, '42, died January 15, 1974, at Eugene, Ore., at the age of 58.

Otto J. Stocklin, Oregon, '32, died July 27, 1973, at Portland, Ore.

Theodore A. Tamba, Oregon, '26, senior member of the law firm of Tamba, Hill, Schneider, Leach & O'Andre, of San Francisco, Calif. died during December, 1973, at San Francisco.

Jerry R. Mikaworth, Lewis and Clark, '60, was downed in a scuba diving accident in the Hood's Canal, Portland, Ore., on August 19, 1973.

John Loren Ruhn, Oregon State, '39, died September 18, 1973, at Anahem, Calif., at age 56.

PENNSYLVANIA

Robert F. Meyer, Pennsylvania, '34, died June 29, 1973, at Hamburg, N. Y. of a heart attack.

Dr. Charles O. Blarar, Pittsburgh, '00, longtime Bedford, Va., medical practitioner, died June 9, 1973, at Bedford.

Harold O. Hagan, Leigh, '18, veteran of World War I has an enlisted man and a commander in Naval Intelligence in World War II, died March 4, 1974, at Drew Hill, Pa.

Fred M. Davis, Penn State '17, died February 5, 1974, at Neffsville, Pa.

Robert C. Winchell, Leigh, '26, died December 11, 1973, at Warwick, N. Y.

Arthur J. McNichols, Leigh, '28, died January 26, 1974, at Sacramento, Calif., at the age of 68.

Capt. George F. Kennedy, U.S. Navy, Ret., Leigh, '27, died January 25, 1974, in the U.S. Naval Hospital, Portsmouth, Va., at age 68. He was aboard the USS *Sumner* at Pearl Harbor during the Japanese attack on December 7, 1941, and during the war surveyed bases in the South Pacific for the Navy. At retirement in 1952 he was plans and operations officer for the U.S. Navy Hydrographic Office in Washington, D.C. He subsequently taught engineering and math at Richmond Professional Institute.

Robert H. Robinson, Penn State, '40, development officer and member of the faculty of Portland State University, died December 25, 1973, at Lake Oswego, Ore.

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New Guide to Brotherhood Development Being Distributed to All Sig Ep Chapters

Guide To Brotherhood Development is Sigma Phi Epsilon's new, up-to-date program for Pledge Education. The book is part one of a three-part program which includes a guide for the Pledge Educator and a digest for each chapter member. The digest explains the Brotherhood Development concept and the individual Brother's role with the pledge class.

The new pledge book is shorter than its predecessor, *Educating for Brotherhood*, and emphasizes the general steps in the founding and growth of Sigma Phi Epsilon. It contains updated facts about the National Fraternity's organization and operation, a more contemporary approach to chapter operations, and covers the old section on Fraternity ideals to "Responsibilities as a Brother."

The Pledge Educator's Guide complements the week-by-week education program, using Guide To

Brotherhood Development as the main resource for the program. It also challenges the Pledge Educator to think seriously about the concepts of pledge education. It raises questions, such as: How does a new pledge perceive his role in the Fraternity? What programs will prepare him to assume the responsibilities of becoming a Brother in Sigma Phi Epsilon? What resources does the chapter have to use in assisting the pledge's development?

The concepts and detailed program outlined in the Pledge Educator's guide are designed so that a chapter can adopt them entirely or in part as its own program.

The months spent preparing this new program reflect the importance of preparing pledges to become Brothers. A chapter's future success or failure is sealed in the preparation of pledges for life membership in Sigma Phi Epsilon.

Sigma Phi Epsilon Guide to Brotherhood Development



Regional Director Is A Resource Person for the Chapters

by Carlos Quintero

Editor's Note: Brother Quintero completed his term as a Regional Director last May. He now lives in Greenville, S. C. He graduated from Clemson University, S. C. Beta, in 1973.

Who is this Regional Director guy, anyway? What is his purpose in visiting your chapter, and why does Headquarters spend almost one-third of its budget for Regional Directors to visit chapters? What kind of attitude should we as undergraduates and alumni have when this Regional Director visits our chapter?

Let's look first at the basic concept of a Regional Director. The major reason for the existence of national fraternities throughout the country is to insure the continuity of the Greek System and each respective fraternity's individual chapters. Before that is accomplished, however, we need a staff to have a capable and well trained staff in the field handling situations as they arise, and communicating and coordinating chapter programs on a national as well as on a local level. Herein lies the basis for the Regional Director concept.

The Regional Director is many things. He is an analytical person, a communicator, and a problem solver. He is a person who has been trained at Headquarters in Richmond, Virginia for six weeks. His training covers every inch of the Fraternity's operations. He is a resource person, he is an idea man, he is a motivator, he is a modified accountant, and he is a planner. But equally important, the Regional Director is also that man who personalities Sigma Phi Epsilon with the sharpness and dynamism which is embodied by our Fraternity throughout the country.

As I reflect upon my year working for Sig Ep, I thought of my accomplishment, success, joy, anxiety, and frustration come to mind. I think back to the many chapters where much more could

have been accomplished as a result of my visit, but because of various factors the visit did not reach its potential level of effectiveness. What caused this? Three areas that can be cited as responsible. The development of such areas by chapters may result in a more beneficial and worthwhile outcome of the three day session for both your chapter and Regional Director.

Mental Attitude - Mistakenly and unfortunately, several chapters throughout the country hold the notion that the Regional Director is an investigator - that he -- is a "spy" if we hold this kind of attitude, I am afraid, we are just cheating ourselves. For we tend to hide, misconstrue, and paint an unclear picture of our particular chapter's condition. Let's remember that the Regional Director's visit is intended to review, analyze, and help wherever possible. Therefore, a complete lack of frankness, honesty, and open-mindedness must be developed if the visit can be worthwhile. No chapter -- however popular and accepted -- should be its operations, is in such a state that improvement in some area cannot be made. I am not saying, mind you, that the Regional Director is the panacea for all your problems, but I do say that responsiveness to an outsider's observations and recommendations are very imperative to our individual operations.

Guiding -- advising -- communicating -- trouble-shooting, evaluating, planning, are all simple terms common to the Regional Director. But if they are not coupled with an eager and open responsiveness, his visit will not be as fruitful as it could be.

Preparation - Plenty can be done or not, says if a chapter is prepared. Here are some thoughts:

1. Sit down for 20 minutes the day before the visit, and arrange in your mind your thoughts, and all the questions you may have about HD programs which you may be "luzzy" on. The idea is to exhaust the man of everything he is to know if possible.
2. Arrange a schedule of the people you want him to talk to, in addition to those you know he needs to see -- i.e., officers, committee chairmen, alumni board, chapter counselor, deans, etc., open to the visit.
3. Provide opportunity for him to meet all the chapter brothers, so make sure you arrange for a chapter meeting.
4. Tell him that you want him to leave you with specifics written down on paper, as to areas and methods for knowing improvement. (See Page 12)

This center pull-out section of the JOURNAL is devoted to Headquarters -- its services, products, and programs. Headquarters belongs to every member of Sigma Phi Epsilon.

The section is designed to be used as a chapter's internal pull-out. Pull it out, stick it up on the chapter house wall, and use it as a rush poster. It will help explain the role of Headquarters to you. Fraternally like ours. Use additional copies as rush buttons.

This section can also be a quick reference to Headquarters services. District Governors, Chapter Committees, individual chapters and associations should also find it helpful.

No matter how you use the section, we hope it will give you a better picture of your Headquarters operation in Richmond, Virginia.

Non-Hazing Policy Key Factor In Texas Iota Success Story

The Texas Tech University chapter of Sigma Phi Epsilon, Texas Iota, has averaged yearly manpower levels of 102, pledged 44 men last year, won the campus Greek scholarship trophy eight out of nine semesters, and took home a Buchanan Award from the Grand Chapter in Denver last summer. And Texas Iota is only four years old!

"How have they done it?" One must go back to the spring of 1970 when the first pledging class was taken to organize a chapter at Texas Tech, the State's third largest University, with an enrollment of nearly 22,000.

"When Sigma Phi Epsilon colonized, many of the original members were men who had voluntary pledged to one of the other 12 fraternities on campus, principally because of hazing practices," Eddie Harris, two-time Texas Iota President recalls. Harris, while not a charter member, was in an early pledge class.

Texas Iota, like all Sig Ep chapters in Texas, was formed by forming a totally new pledge education program for itself. There were no national restrictions on the pledge education philosophy. The Fraternity by-laws which rule out hazing all chapter have the same flexibility with the new Pledge Education Guide to Brotherhood Development. That flexibility was the key to Texas Iota's successful pledge education program.

"The boys [Texas Iota's charter members] were looking for a more mature group," Harris said. "They didn't have on the mind that they knew what direction they wanted to go, and Sig Ep offered them a solid, non-honorable route, promising no hard physical or mental work. They bought this concept, and built on it until it's become known on campus that we don't haze, that we want only the best of the incoming class of scholarship is very important to us," he said.

Harris, a pre-med major from Hasbun, Texas, explained that rushes come up to the Sig Ep table during rush smokers and ask, "Is it true you don't have physical hazing?"

While there are many factors helping to make a top fraternity chapter like Texas Iota, hazing of the last in it in this case, ranks as one of the prime reasons for the tremendous record they have made. Harris explained that after being pledged the new men are taken on a tour of their physical plant. Harris explained that after being pledged the new men are taken on a tour of their physical plant, with only the pledges and Pledge Educator

attending in opening the retreat, each pledge brother discusses his life, tells of his personal background, and listens to each of the others describe theirs. After a day of learning sessions, Saturday night is set aside for a social event. The following day the group returns to the campus.

In the Texas Iota program, pledges are required to obtain signatures from the actives and the Chapter Counselor, spending about 15 minutes with each member, taking and becoming acquainted with each other. Pledges are also required to obtain a certain number of merits, in such categories as social events, intramural sports, college activities, rush, cleaning of the lodge, and meeting attendance. They must all score at least 85% on each test of their educational materials from the pledge book.

"We insist that they attend three cabinet and three executive meetings to learn how the fraternity operates," Harris added.

Scholastically, Texas Iota pledges must have a 2.00 GPA in 12 hours of academics the semester before pledging. However, if a pledge has less than a 2.00 that semester but has a minimum of 32 hours (for sophomore standing) with an overall GPA of 2.50, he is eligible to pledge. It should be noted that the IFC rule at Texas Tech states that anyone in good standing with the University can pledge with a 1.50 GPA which is a "D" average.

"We feel that we are going to get an overall better person in his grades as a higher than the minimum required by the IFC. And you are taking a risk in pledging someone with a 1.50 average," Harris said. (continued on p. 12)

Expansion Program Called Key to Strength; Goal Set at 200 Chapters for '75 Conclave

Sigma Phi Epsilon was founded seven years ago, but has flourished since that time from one chapter and six men to 192 chapters, seven colonies, and more than 100,000 members. The Fraternity's growth has come about by a continual and aggressive expansion program based on the concept that fraternities are invaluable to the college way of life.

At the local chapter level strength in manpower means more activities and benefits for each Brother. The same holds true nationally -- the expansion of Sigma Phi Epsilon results in more services, programs, and programs for every active Brother and colony. The Fraternity's expansion program is directed by Headquarters with the approval of the National Board of Directors. One member of the Headquarters staff, the Manpower Development Director, is responsible for planning and conducting the expansion program and promoting manpower growth at active chapters.

In the past five years, Sigma Phi Epsilon has installed 33 new chapters, and has seven colonies working to gain chapter status. This year's goal is to expand to 200 college chapters by the 1975 Grand Chapter meeting in St. Louis. It is projected that fraternities have passed the 200 active chapter mark. Consistent with Sigma Phi Epsilon's chartering qualifications, the newest chapters reflect the highest level of quality operation.

One example is North Georgia College (Georgia Zeta), installed May 20, 1972 with 41 chapter members. The chapter pledged 31 men in their first year of operation as an active chapter.

Equally important to Sig Ep's growth is reclamation of chapters at campuses where, for one reason or another, a chapter was lost. Headquarters is committed to the alumni of dormant chapters to re-establish their chapters whenever possible.

Even though the decision to colonize or reconize a chapter is made by the Headquarters staff, the actual colonization process depends upon the combined initiative of undergraduates, local alumni, and the staff. Expansion sites are selected after consultation with chapter educators, colony counselors, alumni board members, and other resource people to guide them through the process of colonization and toward formal installation.

Once Headquarters has decided to colonize a new chapter, the Manpower Development Director coordinates the colonization procedure. As a part of the colonization groundwork, he contacts undergraduates and alumni. Brothers to assist in rush presentations and colony organization. All Sig Ep colonies need membership educators, colony counselors, alumni board members, and other resource people to guide them through the process of colonization and toward formal installation.

As in any meaningful endeavor, it takes time, dedication, and desire to build a lasting experience. The same all-out effort is needed to establish a new chapter. If you have experience in Sigma Phi Epsilon, and your help is needed in any way, contact your Regional Director who knows of a campus where you want a Sig Ep chapter.

NEW CHAPTERS 1972-74

Kansas Tech, Kansas State College, Pittsburg
Arizona Gamma, Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff
Ohio Jr., Wright State, Dayton
North Carolina W., University of North Carolina, Charlotte
Missouri Iota, Missouri Western College, St. Joseph

COLDIES 1972-74

Loras College, Ourayburg, Iowa
Pepperdine College, Malibu, California
Fairleigh-Dickinson, Madison, New Jersey
University of Arkansas, Little Rock, Arkansas
Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti, Michigan
Western Illinois University, Macomb, Illinois
Angelo State University, San Angelo, Texas

Sig Ep Headquarters...A

Staff Expanded to 13 Men

In an effort to provide more comprehensive services to Sigma Phi Epsilon members, the professional Headquarters staff has been expanded to 13 this year. Six of the full-time alumni staff members work in Richmond, Va. They are Executive Vice Presidents Charles N. White, Jr. and Donald M. Johnson, Director of Undergraduate Operations Gary E. Griffith, Communications Director William L. Hoke, Jr., Manpower Development Director J. Tim Biddle, and Associate Director of Undergraduate Operations Michael B. Zuhl.

Seven other members of the professional staff, this year's Regional Directors (formerly called Staff Representatives), spend most of their time away from Headquarters "on the road" working with chapters and alumni. The 1974-75 Regional Directors are Jeffrey J. Johannsmeyer, Danny J. Trawler, James H. Cunningham, Richard W. Bennett, III, John R. Swionkowski, Keith C. Ruffner, II, and Irwin J. Feves.

Together, the Headquarters team combines to provide continuity to all Sigma Phi Epsilon undergraduate and alumni activities. To get a clear picture of Headquarters operation, let's look at the general responsibilities of each member of the Richmond staff.

Chuck White, executive vice president. White oversees the Headquarters internal operation: personnel, finances, purchasing, etc. Externally, he supervises all undergraduate programs, Chapter Investment Fund, the National

Housing Corporation, District Governor program, and is publisher of the JOURNAL. White is responsible for the Fraternity's overall direction and reports directly to the National Board of Directors. He joined Headquarters in 1967.

Don Johnson, executive vice president. With the staff since 1962, Johnson directs Sigma Phi Epsilon's alumni program. As director of the Educational Foundation he is chiefly responsible for its fund-raising and scholarship program. He prepares the Living Endowment Fund program, handles the Sigma Phi Epsilon Group Life and Health Insurance program, and works with career placement weekends. Additionally, Johnson helps in establishing local alumni chapters and associations across the country.

Gary Griffith, director of undergraduate operations. Griffith coordinates the Regional Directors from summer training to on-the-road supervision and the chapter visitation program. He has charge of all chapter membership records, pledge and initiate registration, general chapter services and supplies, National Golden Hearts Association, annual Regional Academies, and Headquarters merchandise. He joined Headquarters in 1972.

Bill Hoke, communications director. Hoke is associate editor of the JOURNAL and handles the chapter news section. He coordinates all fraternity publications and works with chapters in planning

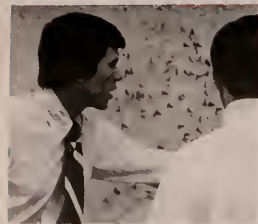
chapter/alumni communications. Development of audio-visual presentations for use by the staff and chapters is also among Hoke's responsibilities. He was a Staff Representative last year.

Tim Biddle, manpower development director. Biddle heads the Fraternity's expansion program, from research and planning to actual rushing and pledging of colony members. He supervises colony operations and coordinates formal installations. Alumni involvement in both colony and chapter operations is a key to Biddle's job. He aids chapters in developing more effective rushing techniques and encouraging manpower growth. Biddle was also a 1973-74 Staff Representative.

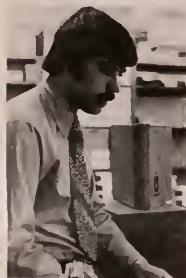
Mike Zuhl, associate director of undergraduate operations. Working closely with the Regional Directors, Zuhl travels part of the year working particularly with "target" chapters in specific problem areas. He works with the Resident Counselor program, coordinates the Officers Book, Program Bank, and numerous other resources for chapter use. Zuhl was also a Staff Representative last year.

Management of our Fraternity in more than office routine, and the staff shares in making periodic visits to chapters and attending particular alumni functions when needed. Flexibility is a necessity.

The Headquarters philosophy is that brotherhood in Sigma Phi Epsilon truly is "the experience of a lifetime," and the staff is committed to continuing a tradition of achievement, growth, and excellence.



J. Tim Biddle, manpower development director, points out a campus which he will visit this year in hopes of forming a colony.



Michael B. Zuhl, associate director of undergraduate operations, prepares an addition to the Officers Book.



Kathy Yurasek, one of five Headquarters secretaries, handles the many communications with District Governors. It is her voice on the message tape you hear when calling Headquarters after business hours.

Mail—the Fraternity's primary means of direct communication.



All chapter and alumni mailings are taken care of by Jerry Gallagher who also maintains the physical plant.



Board room on second floor of Sigma Phi Epsilon Headquarters. Portrait is of "Uncle Billy" Phillips.



Closer Look At the Operation

HEADQUARTERS SERVICES TO CHAPTERS

- *Attitudinal Survey data presentations
- *Awards for chapter excellence
- *Bi-weekly "Headquarters Bulletin" and "Every Other Wednesday"
- *Chapter Counselor coordination
- *Chapter Visitation by Regional Directors
- *C. I. F. AND H. L. F. administration
- *District Governor coordination
- *Financial management program
- *Golden Heart Association
- *Grand Chapter meetings every two years
- *24-hour answering service
- *Jewelry
- *Mailings for individual chapters to alumni
- *Membership records for all Brothers
- *Officers Book
- *Operational guides and supplies
- *P.A.C.E. debt collection service
- *Program Bank
- *Publishes Guide to Brotherhood Development
- *Publishes the JOURNAL
- *Regional Academies
- *Resident Counselors Program
- *Ritual Equipment
- *Rush materials
- *Scholarships
- *Slide presentation
- *Stationary for chapters
- *Student Loans



Most pictures you see of Sigma Phi Epsilon Headquarters are of the front of the building, overlooking Interstate 95. This is a rear view of the building, where the actual driveway is located.

HEADQUARTERS SERVICES TO ALUMNI

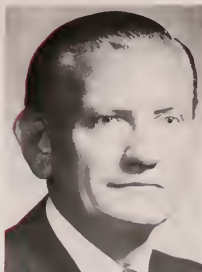
- *Assistance in organizing and encouraging alumni associations and chapters through visitation, speakers, and mailings
- *JOURNAL issues mailed to all members
- *Up-to-date addresses on all alumni
- *Career Weekends by Ledman Associates
- *Awards for outstanding alumni service
- *Sigma Phi Epsilon Educational Foundation
- *Living Endowment program
- *Group hospital income plan
- *Group life insurance program
- *Active alumni publications: "Friday Newsletter," "Alumni Heartbeat," "Alumni Chapter and Association Guide"
- *National Alumni Commission
- *25- and 50-year membership cards
- *Alumni relations program guidance for undergraduate chapters



Gary E. Griffith, director of undergraduate operations, handles all chapter affairs for Headquarters.



Charles N. White, Jr., executive vice president, manages Headquarters and all undergraduate and housing programs.



Donald M. Johnson, executive vice president, coordinates the Fraternity's alumni programs, including the Educational Foundation.



Williem L. Hoke, Jr. has charge of producing Headquarters publications, and helps chapters with newsletters and alumni communications.



The 1974-75 Headquarters traveling staff members are, standing, from left, John "Swin" Swiontkowski, Jeff Johannesmeyer, Irwin Favas, Manpower Development Director Tim Biddle, Keith Ruffner. Kneeling, from left, Rick Bennet, Associate Director of Undergraduate Operations Mike Zuhl, Jim Cunningham, and Danny Trieweller.

Fall, 1974 Educational Foundation Scholarship Winners



Texas Iota

(from page 9)

The Texas Iota track record in manpower over the nine semesters of their existence is impressive. We usually average around 20 men per semester and lose not more than two men per class due to grades, finances, personal problems. We attribute this low attrition rate to the pre-screening each man goes through before we pledge him Harris said.

During their pledging the active chapter asks each group to do some sort of community project. Last spring the pledges raised about \$300 for charitable causes in the past they have held parties for orphans and children from brickmen homes, followed car washes, and other such projects.

This fall Texas Iota returns to the campus with approximately 120 members, probably the largest Fraternity on campus. Their chapter lodge is a converted 5,000 square foot, four-story commercial building. The tradition at Texas Tech is the use of fraternity and society lodges for meetings and social events, rather than formal fraternity live-in type of houses found on many campuses.

It should be noted that the chapter, with few alumni in the area and most of those not of the Texas Iota chapter, still has strong alumni support from two Sig Eps. Alumni chapter President John Troeger (North Texas State University), manager of a large Lee Strauss clothing plant in Lubbock, and Ralph L. Sellmeyer, professor of mass communications at Texas Tech University. Both men work the group and heartily endorse their stand against hazing though both admit they went through "the worst of it" in the post World War II days of hazing.

"Hazing? Let the others have it. We don't need it, and we don't want it. Our records speak for itself."

And indeed it does. Texas Iota

Alumni Rushing Helps Chapters

By Tim Biddle, Colo. Gamma '73
Manpower Development Director

Membership in Sigma Phi Epsilon is a life-time experience, so why stop rushing? Alumni activity in rushing is probably the most neglected phase of a rushing program in all but a few chapters. Ninety percent of the time it is the chapter's fault for not selecting alumni help and support, but why should alumni not make the first move?

How can we as alumni help with rush?

(1) By attending rush activities and parties. Almost any undergraduate chapter would welcome help at rush time, and alumni add a quality to rush functions that cannot be matched.

(2) By contributing financially to the rush budget. Do this through the Alumni Board, so you know how the money is being spent.

(3) Contributing to the rush program by offering the use of home, lake home, party facilities, or other accommodations suitable for rushing activities.

(4) By recommending, to your own chapter or other chapters through the Headquarters, any sharp high school student you know who is attending college. Just relay his name, college, home address, parent's name, college address, college attending, and any remarks you may have concerning him.

The Alumni Recommendation is probably the most important resource a chapter can receive because the acquisition of a potential rusher is always the paramount concern and problem of any chapter.

The 1974-75 year will be a great year for Sigma Phi Epsilon, if every member, active and alumni, does his part in promoting Sig Eps. Alumni help out.

Remember, Sigma Phi Epsilon—It's still the experience of a lifetime.

From left:
Jeffrey Leitner
Mike McCrory
Scott Peterson
Michael Smith
Thomas Standish

Scholarships Awarded to Brothers From Chapters Across the Country

Thirty Sig Eps from over the U.S. will receive scholarships this month from the Sigma Phi Epsilon Educational Foundation Group, the Virginia Delta Fund, the William Phillips Estate, and from a fund set up by the late U.G. Dubach for Oregon State U. Sig Eps chapter members.

The awards range from \$350 to \$50 and are being presented for the 1974 year. A story in the April JOURNAL listed the names of the 1973 scholarship winners.

The recipients for scholarships from the Foundation are sent to all chapters in late January each year. Scholarship winners, their schools, and the amounts are as follows: \$350 winners—Roger J. Borchers, Miami University (Ohio Eta); David Al. Charters, Jr., Lehigh (Penn. Epsilon); Steward J. Climb, Tri-State (Indiana Theta); Steven P. Dawson, Randolph-Macon (Va. Zeta); Warren E. Keckinger, USC (Calif. Beta); Lawrence T. Keller, Indiana Tech (Indiana Eta); Thomas V. Kruse, Southwest Mo. State (Missouri Eta); Douglas K. Lange, Ball State (Ind. Gamma); Michael E.E. McCrory, Lewis & Clark (Oregon Gamma); and Michael E. Smith, Davis & Elkins (W. Va. Delta).

Those winning \$500 scholarships were John R. Daggan, Lenoir Rhyne (N.C. Theta); Raul E. Casnell, Rhode Island (R.I. Beta); James E. Hines, Texas Tech U. (Texas Eta); Daniel B. Haslem, III, Vermont (Vermont Gamma); Robert J. Kerr,

Wichita State U. (Kansas Eta); and Thomas E. Stanfield, Mississippi State, (Miss. Beta).

Those receiving awards from the Virginia Delta Fund, all of William Phillips Estate, and from Mary, were Christopher J. Guen, \$350; Scott T. Peters, \$350; Donald L. Brendzine, \$100; and Robert A. Kerr, \$100.

Scholarship recipients at the University of Richmond (Virginia Alpha) were Frank Aronica, Cecil B. Cross, and James R. Landrigan, \$350 each.

Five men at Oregon State University have received scholarships from the Sigma Phi Epsilon Educational Foundation. Checks of \$120 each have been awarded to Craig A. Cowgill, Kenneth S. Maddox, Steven R. Petermeyer, William R. Potter, and Edward S. Riccio.

Scholarships are awarded quarterly from a fund set up within the Foundation by the late Dr. U.G. Dubach to benefit members of the Oregon State chapter, and are granted on the basis of character, scholarship, leadership, and need.

The Foundation annually awards scholarships to student members who qualify on the basis of scholarship, leadership, participation in fraternity, college and community activities, and financial need. J. Edward Zollinger, Foundation President, said \$6,200 in scholarships was awarded this year, and that in the past 14 years, scholarship awards worth \$77,000 have helped over 300 Sig Eps continue their education.

Former Staff Rep Starts Fund

A former Staff Representative has set an excellent example for the chapters of the Fraternity by establishing a fund within the Sigma Phi Epsilon Educational Foundation for his own chapter.

Scott O. Houston, Nebraska at Omaha, '72, recently mailed J. Edward Zollinger, President of the Foundation, a check for \$100 to be used to set up the Nebraska Beta Scholarship Fund.

In an accompanying letter Houston stated the gift was a tribute to Brother Zollinger who has done so much for the Fraternity, not only as the dedicated head of the Foundation during the past decade, but also during his years of service as Grand President of Sigma Phi Epsilon.



Scott Houston

"The importance of your gift cannot be overestimated," Zollinger wrote Houston. "It is a tribute to you personally as well as a reflection of the high caliber of the Fraternity's staff representatives. By your thoughtful and generous action you have demonstrated how every chapter can establish its own scholarship fund within the Foundation."

Zollinger plans to give \$100 to the Nebraska Beta fund when a total of \$500 has been given and hopes more chapters will follow Nebraska Beta's example.

Every Chapter Should Have Its Own Scholarship Fund in the Foundation.

To Find Out How to Start or Build a Fund For Your Chapter Write

Donald M. Johnson
P.O. Box 1901
Richmond, Va. 23215

Headquarters Program Bank Ready For Use

Chances are that your chapter can use the Program Bank, now operational at Headquarters. The program bank has assembled a collection of complete programs in all areas of chapter operations. It contains materials and ideas proven successful by other chapters across the country.

As the Program Bank is a general-use program, its success depends upon your chapter. In order to expand its use, the Program Bank needs more programs. If you feel your chapter has a particularly strong rush, alumni relations, pledge education, community service, or any other kind of program, write it up and send it to Headquarters. It could be very helpful to another chapter. Be sure to ask your Regional Director for more details.

To request a particular program, write the Director of Undergraduate Operations at Headquarters, and tell him in which areas you would like help. You will have 24 hours to return your request if you request it received

Regional Director

(from page 9)

Demand this from him—**MAKE HIM WORK!**

FOLLOW-UP: What happens after the Regional Director leaves? Do we forget all his ideas, or do we sink in our commitment to try his various recommendations?

Too many of us neglect follow-up, because many times we just tend to get lazy. It's part of human nature, we sometimes say. Nevertheless, action and follow-up are most important. Action is what we sometimes lack in the fraternity world, and only action on all levels will maintain us in our present position. But it all starts with YOU!

Sigma Phi Epsilon has the largest number of trained men in the field of any other fraternity. We believe this is a must to provide the necessary contact at the local chapter level, and thus help maintain our excellence and quality.

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WEST VIRGINIA—Huntington Alumni Association—Or R. Egan, 8 Woodson Court, Huntington, W. Va. 25705.

Arizona

Arizona State University

At Arizona Alpha the Sig Eps proved themselves again by winning "Treas. Sig." We were in a class by ourselves and could be touched. We were teamed up with the women of Kappa Alpha Theta and loved every minute of it. Our production went well with just the right amount of Arizona Alpha's absurd humor. Much of the credit goes to Kent Van (Theobaldson) and Pughy Elmids (The Latin Lover). These two put in a lot of time and did a fantastic job.

Dur Spring Informal. This year we also put Sig Eps in good spots. It was organized and turned out to be a great time. Much of the credit for its success goes to Ron Heise, Dan Spence and Steve.

Ed Avila (The Glinger) headed summer and led us off, from Neassaka, like to chide (see rummage and park cars when he gets mad, he sends us to the K&U without one of the food (Spide) jokes.

Our pledge class took good already. We finally pledged in Arizona, an outstanding group from Rancho Santa Joaquin College. Finally after a long time, we participated in a dark room with Orange!

B. Bear! Took to the pledge auditorium and a promising very memorable pledge class. He is one of a great lot like this!

Arizona Alpha also has a new house officer, Brent Stewart. She's a great lady and we really hope I can be recognized at all the times she goes out of her way to help us.

Looking forward to a great fall.

-T. Lark

Northwestern Arizona

Arizona Chapter closed our 1973-74 with the annual Eastern Sig Eps Convention and students at K&U. We worked with Delta Delta Delta society on the project.

Our pledge class was the best ever. We had a lot of fun this year and had a great time. We had a lot of fun this year and had a great time. We had a lot of fun this year and had a great time.

Brother Ken Korba was elected president of the Northwestern Arizona Chapter. He is a very good leader and we are proud to have him as our president for this year. He is a very good leader and we are proud to have him as our president for this year.

Ken Korba's corresponding secretary is Walter Woyt's recorder.

California

Univ. Southern California

This spring semester at California Beta was highlighted by the annual Duem of Hearts Ball at the Los Angeles Athletic Club. The event was a great success and we had a lot of fun. We had a lot of fun this year and had a great time. We had a lot of fun this year and had a great time.

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San Diego State University

The last quarter of the 1973-74 school year was a good one for San Diego State. We had a great time and we are proud to have him as our president for this year. He is a very good leader and we are proud to have him as our president for this year.

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University of California-Oavis

Spring 1974 was an eventful quarter for the Brothers and Golden Hearts of California Eta. The Brothers held a great time and we are proud to have him as our president for this year. He is a very good leader and we are proud to have him as our president for this year.

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Members! Day welcomed the members and their guests in for Lee Almaro for the annual Cal Eta Banquet. The weather was excellent, the beer was cold, and everyone enjoyed in forgetting about time which followed shortly thereafter.

The year also had a great change in the chapter. Almost a third of the members have graduated, more than half of whom are pursuing further education in professional and graduate schools next year.

The year officers are Bill Mungus' Horn, President; Jim Tucker, Vice-President; Russ Wulder, Controller; Steve Hank, Henry, Recorder and Peter Rogers' Thor, Secretary.

-Steve Henry

Delaware

University of Delaware

Delaware Alpha has completed another successful year in 1973-74. We had a great time and we are proud to have him as our president for this year. He is a very good leader and we are proud to have him as our president for this year.

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Florida

University of Florida

Florida Alpha celebrated its 49th anniversary last spring with a Founder's Day Dinner. The four main speakers were Brother Bruce, Jr., J. Moore West, Alton Moore and Marvin Brooker were charter members. Brother Bruce has just retired as dean of the college of agriculture and is now professor emeritus. Another Florida Alpha member Brother Frank Turlington has been appointed State Commissioner of Education. Also, Brother Ron Davis and Chris Anderson were recently inducted into Who's Who in American Colleges & Universities.

The new Executive Council for 1974-75 is Mike Pium, President; Bob Hunter, Vice President; Mark Gifford, Corresponding Secretary; Ed Leslar, Recording Secretary; and Max Woodard, Chap. President. The first annual Going-Old-Who's Who Party was held for outgoing officers Mark Raun, Jim Wilson, Tim Lee, Bruce McKel, Cliff Trout, and Kevin Shelton.

Amicably, the Sig Eps stayed in the race for the National President's Cup with a runner-up finish on Saturday and Sunday. This year's semifinal game appears to be heading into a great "Final Four" game. We are proud to have him as our president for this year. He is a very good leader and we are proud to have him as our president for this year.

Our congratulations go out to James Holton, our new District 10 Chairman, and Brother of the Year, Mike and Anna Lubiano. Amiles of the Year.

-Tim Lee

Rollins College

The Brothers of the Florida Eta Chapter are looking forward to a great year. We had a great time and we are proud to have him as our president for this year. He is a very good leader and we are proud to have him as our president for this year.

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Sleton University

Florida Beta ended the 1973-74 year in impressive style. The big end-of-the-year party was held at the annual Sigma Psi chapter. The big end-of-the-year party was held at the annual Sigma Psi chapter. The big end-of-the-year party was held at the annual Sigma Psi chapter.

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University of South Florida

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Georgia

University of Georgia

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Data also won the Dalzell Rush Award this year at the Regional Academy in Gainesville, Florida. Twenty-eight members pledged during the year.

Our chapter is a group of three men who earned cumulative recognition this year. Alan Johnson served as president of the Public Relations Student Society of America. J. Brown was elected president of the IFC and Bob Olson was appointed as a Justice of the IFC.

Georgia Delta sponsored the first annual Most Outstanding Greek Woman of the Year Award this spring. The best goes to the Greek woman who has been awarded her community school and sorority in the past year. Jane Kimball, Chi Omega, was the winner.

Socially spring quarter compared favorably with fall in the number of activities generally geared to promote Sigma Psi. Epsilon chapter relations. A very successful walk-off party open to all Greeks, held at the annual beach week and the 20th anniversary of the Greek Week. The Sig Eps went to Myrtle Beach, South Carolina to the annual beach week where they had the best time.

Home elections saw Johnny Chappell elected president, Gary Lynn, vice president, and Bill Lacey was named controller. Ben Houtchens will serve as Secretary and Miss Lovengood is recorder. The new Executive committee took over last spring and eagerly will be working for a job quarter.

Forty-eight Brothers will return in September. Along with the Little Sisters, we are looking forward to work hard and pursuing the goal that we made 1973-74 a banner year for Sigma Psi. Epsilon.

-Ben Houtchens
-Dennis Wingard

Illinois

Southern Illinois U.-Edwardsville

The year 1974 was a successful one for Illinois Eta and the year's peak was better. Among our accomplishments was our annual Heart Fund Marathon run. Thanks to George Ward, the Heart Fund Marathon was a great success. We had a lot of fun this year and had a great time. We had a lot of fun this year and had a great time.

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Indiana

Indiana University

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Brothers and Golden Hearts of Alabama Alpha, Auburn U., form the Greek symbols of Sigma Psi Epsilon.

Scholarship and in campus leadership. Sig Epion continued to excel in all areas. Brother Jerry Simpson and his roommates, the Honorable Sir John and Sir Kappa Phi, and Brother Mark Stearns, was added to the rolls of Phi Eta Sigma. The Phi Eta Sigma organization was organized. Sig Epion was initiated into the engineering society of Tau Beta Pi. Brothers Jack Bethany and Jerry Stearns were accepted as members of Phi Kappa Phi.

During the first semester of last year, the Brothers at Missouri received their 21st anniversary. The celebration was held on 12/14-15. Even though the diligent efforts of our alumni and friends have caused hope for a new house this year, our old house still remains the only one on Mt. Zion.

The University has agreed, however, to rent us the former Chi Phi house. This house is a beautiful 1000 sq. ft. house. The house is new. This has been more fortunate during the past year and Sigma Phi Epion at Missouri State took back the house from the University.

—Tom Stanfield

University of Southern Mississippi

Mississippi Gamma celebrated its 21st anniversary last Spring with Sig Epion, claiming 50 Sig Epion Week during which they changed their name into Awards Banquet and Dinner. The banquet was held at the banquet venue Jack Stearns, Alumni of the Year. Timothy Wick, Phi Eta of the Year, David McGraw, Active of the Year, Paton Brinkman, Student Ambassador of the Year, Mike Wood, Active of the Year, and Sue Young, Sweetheart of the Year. The guest speaker at the banquet was Lawrence Keith DeBorson, a 1923 graduate of Mississippi Gamma.

Brother George the chapter opened its annual Little Saters of the Golden Hour picnic and softball game. Young ladies joining the ranks of the little saters during the quarter are: Shively, Elverson, Barbara Boucher, Mary Ann, Fancher, Elizabeth Byrd, Libby Simmons, Elizabeth Seese, and Moni Seese.

New initiates last Spring included Guy Edward Davis, who had previously excelled as the pledge class and has been elected as the pledge class president and Ted Howard, vice president. Also elected are David McKay, president, Greg Grant, vice president, Fallon Brinkman, counselor, Toshi Schramm, Secretary, and James Schramm, secretary, and Timothy Wick corresponding secretary.

The most important news at Mississippi Gamma is that the University of Mississippi has agreed to purchase the site of a summer rush program which included rush parties, parties, and other activities. The purchase was made by the state and David McKay and Bill Farmer are co-chair men and expect to have the best rush this year. This is a new program being developed by the chapter. Brother Farmer, who is also pledge educator, is also chairing the program. The chapter will grow not only in size but in spirit and brotherhood.

Missouri

University of Missouri-Columbia

To most people the summer vacation is a never ending time, but for the members of Missouri Alpha it is a short vacation. The annual meeting in the previous school year. The annual meeting was held at the home of the chapter. The chapter long history of intramural success, capped with another Spring soccer championship, should continue into the fall. The chapter is currently in the process of organizing a variety of parties from football to dance and other activities. The chapter is currently in the process of organizing a variety of parties from football to dance and other activities.

A campus landmark, the once elegant Sig Epion Annex, still is available down in early summer. Converted through the efforts of the same group of people, the Annex is now a beautiful parking lot. The Annex will always hold fond memories for the members of the chapter. The chapter is currently in the process of organizing a variety of parties from football to dance and other activities.

The Missouri Alpha Alumni Association met at the Louis Motel in St. Louis on 12/14-15. The meeting was held to discuss the upcoming year and elect new officers. The officers elected are: President, Jerry Schaefer, vice president, Doug Schaefer, secretary, Tom Stanfield, treasurer, and Jim Schaefer. The chapter is currently in the process of organizing a variety of parties from football to dance and other activities.

Drury College

The big news concerns the 25th Anniversary celebration which was held at the home of the chapter. The chapter is currently in the process of organizing a variety of parties from football to dance and other activities.

The whole affair went smoothly and was a lot of fun for both the alumni and the chapter. The chapter is currently in the process of organizing a variety of parties from football to dance and other activities.

Southeast Missouri State

New officers for the year are Paul Bernhart, president, Clinton Vetter, vice president, and Mike Taylor, secretary. The chapter is currently in the process of organizing a variety of parties from football to dance and other activities.

There were several awards given out during the banquet. A number of the awards were given to the members of the chapter. The chapter is currently in the process of organizing a variety of parties from football to dance and other activities.

Missouri Western Brothers, Missouri, Inc. took a break during their spring Current River trip. The river got the best of the boat, but not the beer.

With the initiation of 12 members and the successful meeting of 20 pledges, the men of Sigma Phi Epion ended the 1974 school year with the traditional Wappaloo Weekend. This included a weekend of boating and fishing on the Lake Wappaloo.

University of Nebraska-Omaha

Nebraska Beta ended its recruiting semester with 21 pledges. New officers are Greg Blobing, president, Al Cas, vice president, Greg Adams, recording secretary, and Leo Sussman, corresponding secretary.

Missouri Western State College

Here are a few highlights of our first full semester as Missouri local. This year's officers are Robert McIntyre, president, Steve Lipow, vice president, Ronley, secretary, and Mike Cindiff, corresponding secretary, and John McKinley, chaplain.

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New Jersey

Rutgers University

Last May Sigma Phi Epion had a busy month for New Jersey Beta. Our rush program did not draw enough men to fill our house, so we were forced to recruit on the campus.

Montana State

Montana Beta made great strides this year at MSU in the field. We feel we will close the past one year on a high note. Our rush program has been very successful, thanks to the hard work of the entire chapter. We are making our effort for more in an order to build a new house which we desperately need.

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Lenoir-Rhyne College

The 48-man North Carolina chapter of Sigma Phi Epsilon... President C. King and the incoming championship trophy...



Gamma Delta

After losing many of our tradition over the years, Bob Harris had worked some new ones back into the pledge education program...

Showing the versatility that is the trademark of North Carolina chapters... production A School for Scandal! The major actors in this classic comedy were Sig Eps Mike Burt, John Hagan...

Brothers and Golden Hearts of North Carolina Nu, UNC-Charlotte, at the District Six Sports Cay last spring.

Atlantic Christian College

North Carolina feels a proud that five new Brothers were initiated... Our members are all active in the community...

University of Toledo

Spring quarter 1974 was a good one for Ohio in several ways... The May 5 dedication was well attended by parents, alumni, Brothers and Golden Hearts...

Cleveland State University

The members of Ohio Nu have been busy getting recognition and awards... Brothers are refurbishing the house and drafting rooms...

Oregon

University of Oregon

Oregon Beta completed a successful spring rush with the addition of 13 pledges... The chapter also saw its members active in their fields of interest...

Ohio

We recently installed a new game room which consists of a pool table, foosball table, pin ball machines, and other games... Our members are all active in the community...

Youngstown State University

The Brothers of Ohio Mu were once again in the spotlight... The Brothers of Ohio Mu were once again in the spotlight...

Ohio University

The past year was good for Ohio Xi... The past year was good for Ohio Xi... We reversed the trend from a dying fraternity to a growing one...

Lewis and Clark College

Oregon Gamma closed the 1973-74 school year with chapter reorganization... The Brothers are confident that they will enable the chapter to become one of the outstanding chapters in the country...

Ohio State University

Good things are happening at Ohio Gamma this summer and autumn... With participation by all Brothers, the school year should start off in great style...

University of Cincinnati

During the quarter we initiated two Brothers and pledged three more... Congratulations to Glen Carlson and Don Werner on becoming activists and welcome John Lincoln, George Bronger and Glenn Langenfelder...

Ohio State University

Our graduates are Robert Barish, Gary Cahill, Jim Galt, James Meuser, Frank Kirk, John Smith, and Roger Schreiberberger...

Oregon State University

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Ohio State University

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An open house was sponsored by Oregon Gammas during the annual Fall Fair weekend at Lewis and Clark. More than 350 faculty staff members, and 100 students were invited as well as visiting parents. IFC students' refreshments were served by our 10 Golden Hearts and the men of the chapter were hosts and house tour-guides.

—Michael McCrory

Pennsylvania

Lehigh

The Lehigh calendar of events last spring included several social functions, including a wine and cheese party featuring a folk singer, the second annual Sig Ep Talent Show, and a "Weekend After" 100 dances and Brothers initiated their butter buffet, the Lehigh Jazz Band performed. Other activities included a banquet, picnic, picnic concert, rock music, and our breakfast.

Our pledge class is doing a good job in keeping the house clean and has had a very successful year. The chapter held a pledge class retreat in the spring emphasizing the importance of pledging to the Lehigh chapter and the relationships they build within each other and for the house. The pledging class was understood at Brotherhood. The pledging class sent the Brothers on a weekend tour of the area; the night-night labors were fun when the program was put on in the school, while Brother Carmo's high grade of 247 is a wonderful record.

In sports Penn Edition walked away with the University Bowling Championship with a 36-0 record. The team led by Brothers Powell and Carmo's Powell's average of 190.53 in the school, while Brother Carmo's high grade of 247 is a wonderful record.

Walker, Bruce Fry, past grand national president of Sigma Phi Epsilon, was a frequent dinner guest with the team at Hill, alumni board president.

There is an annual regional tournament in Amherst, Massachusetts, last spring. The house is currently undergoing some table lifting. The house is currently undergoing some table lifting. The house is currently undergoing some table lifting.

Muhlenberg College

We had a very successful rush this semester, taking 29 pledges, the most in our chapter's history. The rush was held on campus, displacing another fraternity which had been invited to the campus. The rush was held on campus, displacing another fraternity which had been invited to the campus.

Duquesne University

On April 22 the Pennsylvania Phi chapter established its second anniversary of its initiation into Sigma Phi Epsilon. In these two years we have met with success and accomplishments and we have had some good times and a few bad ones.

In retrospect, things seem only to have gotten better and we have planned, as we have begun, in 1950, the number one fraternity at Duquesne.

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In basketball, things seem to be going better than good enough. Another year has passed during our semester. The season our team was in the final round of the playoffs. Two of our players made it to the final round of the playoffs.

We have also initiated a new project called "Ten-a-Sigma" which is a project to help us to try to do some of the details we have incurred. The new pledge is not new, but he is a new pledge.

Bucknell University

The 1974 pledge class of 35 men was one of the largest in Penn Kappa's history with 31 freshmen, three sophomores, and one junior. One of the men who accompanied us to get the pledge involved in some community-related projects such as Muscular Dystrophy and with the local mental health center.

Our pledge social took on campus Penn Kappa parties with various programs. However, the main culminating event was the pledge social. The main culminating event was the pledge social.

At Bucknell, three Brothers managed to push 40 averages. The new pledge is not new, but he is a new pledge.

Tennessee

University of Tennessee

Spring Quarter of 1974 saw the growing Sig Ep of the South. The Alpha area many victories on all of the athletic fields with football and tennis teams winning the trophy. The first time in many years, Tennessee Alpha was crowned the Big South champion.

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Memphis State

Our manpower stands at 43 with a large summer and fall pledge class expected. The new pledge is not new, but he is a new pledge.



Brothers of Oregon Beta, University of Oregon, with their renovated Sig Ep fire truck, a familiar sight on the U. of O. campus. It reminds all who see it that "Oregon Beta has more fun."

Texas Tech University

This spring lodge one of our most successful rush programs, culminating in a 30-man pledge class. Our successful rush program contributed to the initiative and hard work of Dan Ahr and Clint Hugg. Of course no program can be successful without the cooperation of all of the Brothers.

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Texas

North Texas State University

Texas Beta has newly completed its successful rush program. The new pledge is not new, but he is a new pledge. The new pledge is not new, but he is a new pledge.

Members of Texas Beta and its alumni enjoyed a lot of fun. The new pledge is not new, but he is a new pledge. The new pledge is not new, but he is a new pledge.

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We had nine Brothers attend the Regional Academy at the University of Arkansas, and we came away with a trophy for the Most Improved Rush. It turned out to be a very successful academy and we got a lot of great advice and pointers from other Brothers in the area.

University of Texas-Arlington

Last April marked the second outstanding year of Texas Kappa at UT-A. The dedication of the Brothers has made Sigma Phi Epsilon a leader among other fraternities on campus. Chapter President Stan Phillips has reported that chapters in the area are looking for a new chapter to be serving as UT-A and its president of the Men's Association, a school spirit officer.

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Sam Houston State

The spring semester was a prosperous one for the Brothers of Texas Eta. We pledged 12 outstanding young men for the year. The new pledge is not new, but he is a new pledge.

Oliver Governor Tim Miller presents the 70th Order of the Golden Heart medal to Brother Robert I. Weil, University of Virginia, 26, at a vestiged Delta (Delta & Elkins) banquet May 15. Weil, unable to attend the 32nd Grand Chapter in Denver at receive this honor, arrived on the West Virginia Eta alumni boat for 24 years and supervised construction of the current chapter house.

Utah

Utah State

This year at Utah Alpha was concluded with our Spring Formal in Twin Falls, Idaho. The new pledge is not new, but he is a new pledge.

The year should be remembered for the Brothers and Golden Hearts of Utah Beta. We had a very successful year. The new pledge is not new, but he is a new pledge.

Our newly elected officers for 1974-75 are Mike Smith, president, and Brother Tom. The new pledge is not new, but he is a new pledge.

Virginia

Virginia Tech

With the pledging of 11 men last spring quarter, Virginia Kappa had grown to 153 Brothers. We had a very successful year. The new pledge is not new, but he is a new pledge.

Virginia Kappa was honored the second straight year by the Virginia Tech IFC as Outstanding Fraternity of the Year. The new pledge is not new, but he is a new pledge.

Washington

University of Washington

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Facts & Figures: 1973-74 Report

This year the Annual Report will appear in two issues of the Journal. Facts and Figures on Sigma Phi Epsilon's performance during its 73rd year are reported below and in the center section of this issue you will find a special feature on the Headquarters operation. The special feature will acquaint you with the Fraternity's professional staff and their major areas of responsibility. In the Fall issue of the Journal (out in early December) the Grand President will present his thoughts on the year's operation. There will also be a report on Fraternity finances and a comprehensive review of the year by the Headquarters staff. We are excited about Sigma Phi Epsilon's future and we hope you will find this information interesting and helpful to you as a Sigma Phi Epsilon Brother.

Fraternity
Charles N. White Jr.
Executive Vice President

Sigma Phi Epsilon National Housing Corporation
(Housing Loan Fund)

Table with financial data for Sigma Phi Epsilon National Housing Corporation. Includes sections for Loans Outstanding July 1, 1973 (31) Available to Loan, Total Assets, Housing Loan Fund Cash Flow 1973-74, Cash Added, Prudgfe Fee Increments, Housing Fund Deposits, Loan Repayments, Cash Uses, Loans Made (5), Operating Expense, Loss on Leased House, Increase in Cash, Loans Outstanding June 30, 1974 (28) Available to Loan, and Total Assets.

Twenty Largest Pledge Classes 1973-1974

Table listing 20 largest pledge classes for 1973-1974, including institutions like Ball State University, Southern Illinois, and various Alpha chapters.

Twenty Largest Initiating Classes 1973-1974

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Sigma Phi Epsilon - 73rd Year

Summary statistics for Sigma Phi Epsilon - 73rd Year, including Living Alumni (73,371), Total Alumni (Addressed) (11,455), and Total Membership (June 30, 1974) (100,320).

Sigma Phi Student Loan Fund

Summary statistics for Sigma Phi Student Loan Fund, including Fund Balance July 1, 1973 (\$120,255) and Loans Outstanding (170) (\$8,597).

THE 1000 CLUB

Table titled 'THE 1000 CLUB' showing Total Initiates of 1000 for various chapters. Lists institutions like Indiana Alpha, Florida Alpha, and various Beta chapters.

1973-1974 Outstanding Performance in Manpower

Ohio Eta - Miami University
42 Pledges - 40 Initiates

CHAPTER MEMBERSHIP FIGURES - YEAR-END TOTALS

Large table showing Chapter Membership Figures - Year-End Totals. Columns include Chapter Name, 73-74 Pledges, 73-74 Initiates, Total, and 73-74 Total. Lists chapters from ALABAMA to WISCONSIN.

SIGMA PHI EPSILON DIRECTORY; OFFICIALS, UNDERGRADUATE CHAPTERS, DISTRICT GOVERNORS

Comprehensive directory listing officials, district governors, and undergraduate chapters. Includes National Board of Directors, Fraternity Officials, District I (New England), District II (New York), District III (New York), District IV (New York), District V (New York), District VI (New York), District VII (New York), District VIII (New York), District IX (New York), District X (New York), District XI (New York), District XII (New York), District XIII (New York), District XIV (New York), District XV (New York), District XVI (New York), District XVII (New York), District XVIII (New York), District XIX (New York), District XX (New York).

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Recent Donors

by Donald M. Johnson
Executive Vice President
Sigma Phi Epsilon

Graduate brothers of Sigma Phi Epsilon are willing to provide continuing financial support through the Living Endowment program for many reasons. From talking to hundreds of loyal alumni and reading the Living Endowment news notes on the reply envelopes, I conclude that a large number contribute out of a loyalty developed from an enriching undergraduate experience. They want to help pass that same opportunity on to today's undergraduates.

Contributions to the Living Endowment do enhance undergraduate programs throughout out 192-chapter Fraternity and they do enhance the alumni programs, consequently, every Sig Ep benefits from alumni giving to the Living Endowment.

The Living Endowment program was started 11 years ago as a means of initiating projects that simply could not be undertaken without alumni support. And you have responded. In the 1973-74 academic year, some 3,400 alumni contributed more than \$47,000. That represents more than 10% of the Fraternity's operating budget; obviously such support had a considerable impact on Fraternity programs, with particular emphasis on the alumni program to communicate with and contact our graduate brothers.

Consider, for instance, what's happened in the area of communications. All members now receive the JOURNAL, even though many members' 10-year JOURNAL subscription has expired. The revitalized "Alumni Heartbeat", newsletter is now sent to two years more than 2,000 members for an inside look at Headquarters and Fraternity activities. There are two publications for the enhancement of alumni programs: the Alumni Chapter & Association Guide booklet to start an alumni organization and keep it healthy, and the Alumni Relations Guide tells the Alumni Relations Chairman how to build an effective chapter program for alumni members. And audio-visual presentations are being prepared as aids to student instructional programs and to alumni organization activities. These presentations will be changed regularly to remain current and effective.

In the area of contact, we now have an "Active Alumni" (AA) directory which already carries the names of 1,400 dedicated Sig Eps. The booklet will grow, as it's updated annually so the Fraternity staff and officials can call these members to discuss the progress of our cent. Fraternity and Educational Foundation projects. Moreover, alumni achievement is recognized by awards from a grateful Fraternity, and speakers are provided for noteworthy events of chapters and alumni organizations.

The Fraternity's Regional Academy Leadership Program has also benefited from alumni contributions. More than 3,000 Sig Eps participated in the eight Regional Academy programs last year, thus cementing a closer relationship among Sig Ep chapters. These conferences were partially financed by paying the registration fee for volunteer workers who took the knowledge gained at these workshops back to help your chapter.

The Living Endowment also finances valuable alumni conferences. The new National Alumni Commission has designed a comprehensive alumni program for this year, as well as some 100 short-range and long-range objectives. The new program is concerned with alumni activities which INFORM (communicate), INTEREST (contact), and INVOLVE (in undergraduate chapters, Sigma Phi Epsilon Educational Foundation, expansion).

We can inform all members, interest many members, and involve more members. Special emphasis is being given to alumni participation in the 1975 Grand Chapter convocation in St. Louis next August and year-long activities to celebrate the Fraternity's 75th anniversary, culminating on Founders Day, Nov. 1, 1976.

Without pinpointing every particular of what alumni contributions provide, they have a general effect of improving all Fraternity operations. Your investment in the Fraternity makes possible more news of alumni in the JOURNAL, library acquisitions, research, chapter directions, starting new alumni organizations, chapter newsletters for alumni, the visitation program by staff and officials to chapters and alumni organizations.

Our expansion program also benefits from alumni contributions. Orderly expansion represents progress. It's more than just keeping pace with our competitors, although that's an important consideration. New chapters bring fresh new ideas and enthusiasm that have an exhilarating effect throughout the Fraternity. You'll note this when reading chapter installment feature articles in the JOURNAL.

The Living Endowment has reached the support level of five per cent of alumni for whom we have good addresses, and the support level is increasing. I am confident that the trend will continue. Living Endowment has helped us to meet the nagging problem of inflation, but more importantly, I assure you that alumni contributions are and will continue to be used for creating new projects of continuing value to Fraternity development. Every member will benefit from these projects.

We thank the Sig Eps listed here for their loyalty and participation in last year's Living Endowment program. We welcome your participation in this year's program, and please be sure to include news items about yourself for the Sigma Phi Epsilon JOURNAL.

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and I had dinner one evening and on the weekend I took the train out to his place in the country at Chantilly. We spent some time talking about the political events in the United States and then talked for hours about Sigma Phi Epsilon. Someday soon, Bill hopes to return to the United States to open another foreign office of his very successful Paris-based advertising company. It was a grand visit, but one that made me all the more ready to return home.